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Lt. Gen. C. P. Cabell, USAF
Acting Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear General Cabell:

On behalf of Dr. Flemming, it gives me pleasure to acknowledge your letter of August 31, with which you enclosed your comments regarding the participation of the Central Intelligence Agency in Operation Alert 1956.

We appreciate your prompt filing of this Final Evaluation Report, and we will give your comments our close attention and study.

Very sincerely yours,

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Robert R. West

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